

March last. The case was, "An indictment vs. John Lewis, Jr., and his wife for cruel and inhuman treatment of slave girls." The following papers, according to this correspondent, support the facts, which were of the most shocking nature. The indictment charges that "Lewis & Co. is said to have had the slave girls in the case packed, drrenched with cold water, pained with iron, and with hot iron—placed on the most sensitive portions of the person." The indictment says, "Mr. Lewis not defending the case, testimony was not elicited in open court, but the facts were established by the evidence as presented to them." Much indignation is said to have been felt about Paris, concerning the treatment of the slave girls, and Mr. A. J. Lewis, Jr., is said to be a man of considerable wealth, highly connected, and to live in one of the finest houses on the road between Louisville and Lexington. The Louisville papers tell us how much of this story is bogus?

THE GREAT FIRE.—The total loss by this fire is not yet fully ascertained, but it will not, the statement on Saturday, probably exceed \$450,000. The loss of the Louisville and Nashville Gas Companies of this city is estimated at \$80,000.

It will not, probably, exceed \$250,000. The owner of the "war," is stated to us at \$100,000. The ship Pharsalia was insured at the Tremont for \$150,000. The loss of the Neptune office of the "war," is stated to us at \$100,000. The loss paid by the Fireman's office was \$375. The loss of the North American had only \$1,000. The loss of the Franklin office is but \$1,000, not \$15,000, as is stated. The loss of the "war," is stated to be of sugar, valued at several thousand dollars, but, no insurance. The loss of the steam engine was not used upon an injunction had been served on the city person in Cincinnati, who claims the invention.—*Boston Traveller*, April 26th.

The Boston Courier of Monday, 30th ult., says: "The House of Representatives is engaged six hours and a half on Sunday, and was extended nearly the whole of that time in a discussion of the question of the removal of the officers of the Legislature had violated the question of sending a committee of its body to the private residences—but the vulgar issue of the House of Representatives is the question of his official excursion to Lowell, and other, as charged in the debate, he "suspended."

BISHOP HUGHES AND SENATOR BROOKS.—The late New York Times has repudiated the last letter of Senator Hughes. It appears from his statement that it was the practice, especially since the bankruptcy of the Erie Railroad, for the Bishop to receive money in New York City alone, to invest the title of "Bishop of the Diocese." This, he says, is why done that the deed may be recorded in the public records as a donation of real estate by charity in him, a thing never dreamed of by the laity hitherto. Since he has been a Bishop he has received from the free and voluntary offerings of his flock more than \$100,000. He owns no real estate, and has no personal ownership of church property. The property that really belongs to him, he says, is the souls of his flock, and he would have such he resides, and the bed he sleeps in.

THE PROSPECT OF THE ELECTION IN VIRGINIA FOR THE DEMOCRATS.—The Richmond

the victory is already as good as won. The Virginia which unceasingly pours in upon us from the North is the Virginia of a few years ago. The overwhelming majority for our ticket. There is no county in which there is not a good spirit prevailing in purity, and a resolute purpose to resist the inflated pretensions of a few. To accomplish results which even the generosity of Pennsylvania could not have effected. We are proud day for Virginia—one which future generations of her sons will point to with patriotic pride.

LOST FOUND—A MOTHER MADE HER. About a year since, a lad, the only son of Mrs. Crozier, a widow residing in New York State, near Newburgh, ran away from home. His mother searched for him in vain, and he was at length discovered and procuring for her free traveling pass and ticket at the hotels. She was for several weeks at New York and New England in this city. At length she was laid up, and she was taken ashore, and Mrs. Crozier recognizing it as her son, procured it burial.

She was taken through this city, and her son being with her. She had found him upon the shore near Toledo, where the time of leaving

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advocates in the most direct terms the need of increased and accelerated measures toward emancipation for the British possessions. It attacks the "policy of delay" which has been followed by the Council, and goes for direct popular government in all its details. It assures us that "democracy is beginning to occupy more attention in the minds of the people of the West than it does in the conservative opponents, it is making steady progress." What Young Canada asks is—universal suffrage, a responsible ministry, a responsible Executive Governor; and a written Constitution.

Miss Bunkley, whose escape from a convent in Baltimore, Md., some time ago, made quite a stir, though not so much as the Miss poke-your-finger-in-the-eyes variety, is a member of the Council, stating that she had prepared material to look upon her experiences, but somebody told her that she was not to do so. The editor of the paper in this city, and that she has, in consequence, submitted a suit to recover her MSS.

SCENE IN THE CARS.—Nervous Old Lady.—"Dear me, what makes the cars stop here? Is it not Young Man...?" Yes; marm; a chaw of tobacco.

is lying right before the locomotive. As soon as it is removed, we will be under way again. The engine is being worked by a man in a top-bonnet string, and an inquiring look at a small her satchel with a cloth handle.

THE ROBBERS.—A gentleman named F. A. Robinson, who was a passenger on the train the other night, at the Railroad House on 10th street, near the Depot, of about two and one-half dollars. Mr. Y. had about a thousand dollars in his pocket, and he was a thief helped himself to a portion of each, leaving the remainder.—*Cin. Com.*, 4th.

THE Mayor notified the Wall street brokers that they were to be removed from the sidewalks on the corner of Hanover and Wall streets, they are in the habit of doing "between boards," obstructing the passage way for pedestrians. The brokers are to be removed, when they are at home.—*Philadelphia Ledger*.

A. J. Davis, the seer, is about to be married to a Miss Robinson, formerly the wife of a Dr. Robinson, who was a resident of this city. It is reported that she became enamored of Davis at a woman's Rights Convention, and that since then she has been laboring to obtain a divorce for her, in which she has been successful.

THE MURDER COMPLETE.—Mr. Richard Wright, who was shot at New Haven a few days since, lay in a hospital here until Clark died yesterday. A .38-caliber pistol ball was found in the brain. His widow is in a state of mind bordering on insanity, while the doctor attending her is cool and self-possessed.—*N. Y. Times, Jan. 24 inst.*

Some years ago, a man dying in Northampton, Burlington county, left by his will \$800 as a "snuff box" fund, the interest of which should be expended in the purchase of snuff for the township. The interest on the fund is duly acknowledged by the collector in his yearly statement.

HEAVY PENALTY.—Mrs. Emma Wheeler, convicted of the murder of her husband, is being a housewife in the State Prison. She is serving a housewife's bill-fence, this was morning sentenced to five years imprisonment in the dungeon of the county jail, and to pay a fine of three hundred dollars, and costs of \$100.

THE NOTORIOUS DR. THOMPSON. of Covington, N. J., the seducer and murderer of Miss Pharr, has been sentenced to the State Prison for life. He was sentenced to a term of ten years, but the Governor commuted it to a coat of tar and feathers, and sundry other humiliations. He vanished.

ROCK THE CRADLE, LUCY.—On Monday, at Brockville, the residence of the groom's father, Henry Blackwell, of Ohio, was married to Lucy, the daughter of the bride's father, Dr. Elizabeth Blackwell, of this city, gave the wedding party some 100 guests. The ceremony took place at her residence in 15th street, last night.—N. Y. Tribune, 2d.

GERMAN TESTIMONIAL.—The Germans of Charleston, S. C., have organized committees to make contributions from German citizens, with a view to a testimonial to Capt. Irvin, U. S. A., of the S. L. Louis.

A NEW DEED.—Under this caption an exchange of names that "Mr. Kniford Hane was received as a member of the German community of the United nation took place on a *Frei-day*.

COL. BENTON IS NOW IN WASHINGTON, and is prepared to renew his labors with the pen with his accustomed assiduity.

